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SUBJECT: CONTACT WITH MINISTER OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS

RE US EXPORT CONTROLS ON SOYBEANS AND

RELATED PRODUCTS

REF: THE HAGUE 2949 AND 2976

1. CHARGE TOUCHED BASE BY TELEPHONE WITH MINISTER OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS LUBBERS ON JULY 5 TO DISCUSS BRIEFLY ALLOCATIVE PROCEDURE US HAD DECIDED ON FOR EXPORTS OF SOYBEANS AND RELATED PRODUCTS. CHARGE ALSO APPRISED LUBBERS OF PLANS FOR EC AGRICULTURE COMMISSIONER LARDINOIS TO VISIT WASHINGTON NEXT WEEK.

2. LUBBERS HAD NO PARTICULAR COMMENT ON DUTCH DOMESTIC SUPPLY SITUATION IN LIGHT OF WASHINGTON'S ANNOUNCEMENT. HE REFERRED, HOWEVER, TO PLANS FOR A SMALL DUTCH DELEGATION TO MAKE AN INFORMAL VISIT TO WASHINGTON NEXT WEEK, INDICATED THAT HE ATTACHED IMPORTANCE TO THE RESULTS OF THIS MISSION,
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AND SAID THAT IT WOULD INCLUDE (IN ADDITION TO THOSE OFFICIALS

MENTIONED IN THE HAGUE 2976) A REPRESENTATIVE OF HIS OWN
MINISTRY. THIS MISSION WOULD SERVE THE PURPOSE HE HAD IN
MIND WHEN HE MENTIONED THE POSSIBILITY OF A VISIT BY MINISTER
OF AGRICULTURE BROUWER AND HIMSELF IN OUR LAST CONVERSATION.

3. LUBBERS EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR CHARGE'S OFFER TO BE
OF ASSISTANCE IN PREPARING FOR THE WASHINGTON VISIT OF THE
DUTCH MISSION, AND SAID HE WOULD BE BACK IN TOUCH IF HE HAD
ANY REQUEST OR SUGGESTION TO OFFER.
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